

## ADVERBIAL CLAUSES

### I. Tóm tắt bài giảng

#### 4. Causes

Liên từ : Because / since / as / for

Since + Quá khứ, hiện tại hoàn thành: Kể từ khi

Since + Hiện tại đơn / hiện tại tiếp diễn, mệnh đề : Bởi vì

As (= when, like + N, because)

For + clause, clause: Bởi vì

Because of + Noun:

Because of the heavy rain, the flight was delayed.

Because it rained heavily, the flight was delayed.

Due to = because of + Noun:

Due to the fact that it rained heavily, the flight was delayed.

Thanks to sb/ sth : mang nghĩa tích cực

Owing to sb/ sth

Seeing that / Now that: thấy rằng, giờ thì

Seeing that / Now that it rained heavily, she stayed at home.

#### 5. Manner

- **As và like**

**As + Mệnh đề:** When in Rome, do as Roman do.

**Like + tân ngữ:** Do like me. (= Do as I do)

- **Alike và Unlike**

The twins look / are alike.

**Unlike + noun:** Unlike other classmates, I chose to study French.

- **As if / As though:** Câu giả định → Lưu ý: lùi một thì, trái với hiện tại thì mệnh đề sau as if / as though ở quá khứ, trái với quá khứ thì mệnh đề sau đó ở quá khứ hoàn thành.

He talks / is talking as if he were my father.

#### 6. Liên từ trong các mệnh đề trạng ngữ chỉ sự nhượng bộ (concession / contrast)

- *While / Whereas* + Mệnh đề 1, Mệnh đề 2
- *Although / Though / Even though* + Mệnh đề / *PII* (giảm mệnh đề)

Ví dụ: - *Although* published late, the book received great feedback.

- *Though* it rained heavily, we came to class on time.

- *Despite / In spite of* + Noun / V-ing, clause (Chỉ dùng được V - ing khi V - ing và mệnh đề có cùng chủ ngữ)

Despite coming late, he wasn't punished.

Though it rained heavily, we came to class on time.

→ Despite the heavy rain, we came to class on time.

- **However + adj / adv + S + verb**

However hard he tried, he failed the exam. (Cho dù anh ấy cố gắng đến mấy, anh ấy đã trượt kỳ thi đó.)

## 7. Cấu trúc đối lập

**As: Adj / adv + as + S + verb**

Hard as he tried, he failed the exam. (Cố gắng như là anh ấy có thể, anh ấy đã trượt kỳ thi đó.)

**No matter**

- *No matter how = however : dù thế nào đi chăng nữa*

No matter how hard he tried, he failed the exam.

- *No matter who = whoever: cho dù bất kỳ ai*

No matter who you are, I still believe in you.

Whoever you are, I still believe in you.

- *No matter what = whatever : dù bất cứ điều gì*

No matter what happens, smile and pass it.

Whatever happen, smile and pass it.

- *No matter where = wherever: bất cứ nơi đâu*

No matter where / wherever you go, your family is still in your heart.

### ➤ Bài tập vận dụng (Chứa trong video)

#### Bài 1. Chọn phương án đúng nhất để hoàn thành câu

- \_\_\_\_\_ he always did well on his English tests, his parents were not surprised that he got an A. (When, Since)
- You should keep the milk in the refrigerator, \_\_\_\_\_ it doesn't go bad. (since, so that)
- \_\_\_\_\_ he thinks he's smart, he isn't. (Although, After)
- You should say goodbye to your brother \_\_\_\_\_ you leave for Europe. (before, since)
- \_\_\_\_\_ my father has high blood pressure, he has to watch what he eats. ( Before, Since)
- \_\_\_\_\_ I came to this country, I didn't speak a word of English! (Before, Since)
- I'll let you know \_\_\_\_\_ I come back. (because, after)
- He doesn't understand \_\_\_\_\_ he doesn't speak French very well. (so that, because)
- He spoke slowly \_\_\_\_\_ she would understand. (because, so that)
- \_\_\_\_\_ you stop crying, I'll buy you an ice cream. (If, Since)

#### Bài 2: Chọn phương án đúng nhất để hoàn thành câu

- Much of the food we eat would not actually last that long..... it were not for the chemicals they contain.  
A Unless                                      B. If                                      C. Though
- ..... chatting online can be beneficial, it is certainly not the same as real interaction with human beings.  
A. where                                      B. because                                      C. although
- Long prison sentences should remain for assault or murder ..... justice for the victim and their family should take priority.  
A. while                                      B. even though                                      C. as
- I will keep studying hard..... I pass the exam.  
A. because                                      B. until                                      C. wherever
- I will continue to use my bike..... petrol prices remain high.  
A. as long as                                      B. unless                                      C. even though

6. Global warming will not slow down ..... governments take serious action soon.

A. unless

B. until

C. as long as

## II. Bài về nhà

### Exercise 1

1. The car isn't very nice, but it serves its purpose.

✎ Although .....

2. Betty isn't very tall, but she can run very fast.

✎ Although .....

3. He doesn't have much money, but he wants to buy car.

✎ Although .....

4. There wasn't much food at the party. However, everybody had a good time.

✎ Although .....

5. He's a hard worker. However he can't save enough to buy a car

✎ Although.....

### Exercise 2

1. He didn't tell me why he'd been late, but I knew it all the same.

✎ He didn't tell me why he'd been late, but I knew it .....

2. It's rather cold, but I think I'll go for a walk.

✎ Even though .....

3. She was unattractive but still had many friends.

✎ Even though .....

4. She was unattractive but still had many friends.

✎ Unattractive .....

5. Though they'd lived in London for years, they always spoke German.

✎ They'd lived in London for years .....

### Exercise 3

1. Although I tried hard, I couldn't find the book you lent me.

✎ However .....

2. Although he may have some strong points, intelligence is one of them.

✎ Whatever .....

3. Although he loves Joan very much, he isn't going to marry her.

✎ However .....

4. Although she buys a lot of new dresses every month, she always dresses shabbily.

✎ However .....

5. Even if our new house is very nice, we'll still miss our old flat.

✎ However .....

### Exercise 4

1. Although he makes a lot of money, he can't save anything.

✎ No matter .....

2. No matter what she said, no one paid any attention.

✎ Whatever .....

3. However hard she tried, she couldn't lift the suitcase.

✎ No .....

4. Although he loves Joan very much, he isn't going to marry her.

✎ No .....

5. It doesn't matter how much you earn, you shouldn't waste money.

✎ Although .....

## Exercise 5

1. Although Betty is attractive, she can't find herself a boyfriend.

✎ Attractive .....

2. Although it seems incredible, my grandma is getting married again.

✎ Incredible .....

3. Although I love travelling very much, I can't afford to go to Japan.

✎ Much .....

4. However rich he may be, I wouldn't like to be in his shoes.

✎ Rich .....

5. No matter how nice she may be, I don't like her

✎ Nice .....

## Exercise 6

1. He doesn't have much money, but he wants to buy a car.

✎ He wants to buy a car despite .....

2. We all enjoyed the walk even though it rained.

✎ In .....

3. We managed to talk seriously although there were a lot of people around.

✎ In .....

4. The bag was heavy but she managed to carry it herself.

✎ Despite .....

5. His mother refused to let him go to the party but he went anyway.

✎ He went to the party in spite .....

## Exercise 7

1. Whatever you may promise, I don't believe a word.

✎ For all .....

2. In spite of his hard work, he hasn't been promoted for five years.

✎ For all .....

3. Whatever you may say about Mary, I will not change my opinion about her.

✎ For all .....

4. Say what you will about her husband, I do not like him.

✎ For all .....

5. For all the help of their friends, they were unable to cope with all the problems.

✎ In spite .....

## Exercise 8

1. I couldn't love Betty less, even though she may have had another boyfriend.

✎ I couldn't love Betty less, even .....

2. It might be cold, but we'll still go for a walk.

✎ Even if .....

3. I'm not going to accept their offer, although they might give me a big salary.

✎ Even if .....

4. She is beautiful and intelligent, but I'm not going to marry her.

✎ Even though .....

5. She is beautiful and intelligent, but I'm not going to marry her.

✎ I'm not going to marry her .....

## Exercise 9

1. In spite of being tired, we went to the museum.

✎ Even .....

2. In spite of the rain, the competition took place as planned.

✎ Even .....

He went bankrupt, even though he'd worked very hard

✎ He went bankrupt, in .....

4. I hate to have to tell you this, but you are wrong.

✎ I have to .....

5. In spite of her loving family, she wasn't happy.

✎ Although .....

## Exercise 10. Kết hợp 2 câu làm một sử dụng từ cho sẵn

1) She knew how to cook. She said she didn't. (Although)

2) Suzy arrived two hours late. She didn't apologise. (Despite)

3) Alan doesn't need any money. He still works. (Although)

4) My uncle had money. He didn't buy the kids ice-creams. (In spite of)

5) Sam had an accident due to alcohol. He didn't give up his habit. (Though)

6) Ana needed help. She didn't ask for any. (Although)

7) Gloria failed all her exams. She has no intention to study. (Despite)

8) It was 3 am. The girls went on chattering. (Although)

9) Abdel had fallen off his bike twice. He won the race. (Although)

10) Mehmet was blind. He finished university in the first place. (Despite)

## Exercise 11. Choose the best answer to complete these sentences

1. The situation is quite serious; just \_\_\_\_\_ we heard yesterday.

a. like                      b. as

2. From this angle, the building looks \_\_\_\_\_ the Empire State Building.

a. like                      b. as

3. It looks \_\_\_\_\_ it is going to rain this afternoon.

a. like                      b. as if

4. The queen looks \_\_\_\_\_ she is going to escape from the palace with the keys to the castle.

a. like                      b. as if

5. Monkeys live on a variety of fruit \_\_\_\_\_ bananas, oranges and breadfruit.

a. like                      b. such as

6. It looks \_\_\_\_\_ the weather is going to be kind to us after all.

a. like                      b. as if

7. Your room looks \_\_\_\_\_ a large nuclear device has hit it.

a. like                      b. as if

8. The pasta stew looked and tasted \_\_\_\_\_ porridge.

a. like                      b. as

9. I would love to visit some exotic countries \_\_\_\_\_ India, Thailand and Sri Lanka.

a. like                      b. such as

10. It seems \_\_\_\_\_ you never want to come and visit us.

a. like                      b. as if

11. \_\_\_\_\_ we heard, the hurricane is coming!

a. like                      b. as

12. We could go down to the beach, just \_\_\_\_\_ we used to.

- a. like                      b. as
13. John and Paul are so \_\_\_\_\_ that people are always confusing them.  
a. alike                      b. unlike                      c. like                      d. dislike
14. Vegetarians \_\_\_\_\_ meat.  
a. like                      b. unlike                      c. alike                      d. dislike
15. \_\_\_\_\_ Abu Dhabi Emirate, Dubai does not possess large oil reserves.  
a. like                      b. unlike                      c. alike                      d. dislike
16. My \_\_\_\_\_ of seafood started last year when I became very ill after eating prawns.  
a. like                      b. unlike                      c. alike                      d. dislike
17. It is wonderful to meet \_\_\_\_\_-minded people.  
a. like                      b. unlike                      c. alike                      d. dislike
18. I treat my friends well and expect to be treated by them in a \_\_\_\_\_ manner.  
a. like                      b. unlike                      c. alike                      d. dislike

**KEY****EXERCISE 1**

- Although the car isn't very nice, it serves its purpose.
- Although Betty isn't very tall, she can run very fast.
- Although he doesn't have much money, he (still) wants to buy a car.
- Although there wasn't much food at the party, everybody had a good time.
- Although he is a, hard worker, he, can never save enough to buy a car.

**EXERCISE 2**

- a) He didn't tell me why he'd been late, but I knew it though, b) He didn't tell me why he'd been late, but I knew it nevertheless.
- Even though it's rather cold, I think I'll go for a walk,
- Even though she was unattractive, she still had many friends.
- Unattractive though/as she was, she stilt had many friends.
- a) They'd lived in London for years- Nevertheless they always spoke German,  
b) They'd lived in London for years. All the same they always spoke German.

**EXERCISE 3**

- However hard I tried. I couldn't find the book you lent me.
- Whatever strong points she may have, intelligence isn't one of them,
- However much he may love/loves Joan, he isn't going to marry her.
- However many new dresses she buys every month, she always dresses shabbily. 5. However nice our new house is, we'll still miss our old flat.

**EXERCISE 4**

- No matter how much money he makes, he can't save anything.
- Whatever she said, no one paid any attention.
- No matter how hard she tried, she couldn't lift the suitcase.
- No matter how much he loves Joan, he isn't going to marry her.
- Although you may earn a lot, you shouldn't waste money.

**EXERCISE 5**

- Attractive as/though Betty is, she can't find herself a boyfriend.
- Incredible as/though it seems, my grand - mother is getting married again.

3. Much as I love travelling, I can't afford to go to Japan.
4. Rich as/though he may be, I wouldn't like to be in his shoes.
5. Nice as she may be, I don't like her.

**EXERCISE 6**

1. a) He wants to buy a car despite the fact (that) he doesn't have much money,  
b) He wants to buy a car despite (his) having little money, c) He wants to buy a car despite not having much money.
2. In spite of the rain we all enjoyed the walk.
3. a) In spite of all those people around, we managed to talk seriously, b) In spite of the number of people around, we managed to talk seriously, [c) In spite of there being so many people around, we managed to talk seriously.] [d) In spite of the fact that there were so many people around, we managed to talk seriously.]
4. a) Despite the (heavy) weight of the bag, she managed to carry it herself,  
b) Despite the fact that the bag was very heavy, she managed to carry it herself.
5. He went to the party in spite of his mother's refusal to let him go.

**EXERCISE 7**

1. a) For all your promises, I don't believe a word. b) For all you promise, I don't believe a word.
2. For all his hard work, he hasn't been promoted for five years,
3. For all you may say about Mary, I will not change my opinion about her.
4. For all you may/might say about her husband, I do not like him.
5. In spite of all the help of their friends, [they were unable to cope with all the problems.

**EXERCISE 8**

1. I couldn't love Betty less, even if she has had/had/had had another boyfriend.
2. a) Even if it's cold, we shall still go for a walk. b) Even if it should be cold, we shall still go for a walk.
3. a) Even if they do give me a big salary, I'm not going to accept their offer,  
b) Even if they should give me a big salary, I'm not going to accept their offer,  
c) Even if they were to give me a big salary, I'm not going to accept their offer.
4. Even though she is beautiful and intelligent, I'm not going to marry her.
5. a) I'm not going to marry her, even if she is beautiful and intelligent, b) I'm not going to marry her, even if she (should) be beautiful and intelligent, c) I'm not going to marry her, although she is beautiful and intelligent, d) I'm not going to marry her, however beautiful and intelligent she is/might be. e) I'm not going to marry her despite/in spite of the fact that she is beautiful and intelligent. f) I'm not going to marry her despite/in spite of her being beautiful and intelligent.

**EXERCISE 9**

1. Even though we were tired, we went to the museum.
2. Even though it rained/was raining, the competition took place as planned.
3. a) He went bankrupt, in spite of his hard work/working hard. b) He went bankrupt, in spite of the fact that he'd worked hard.
4. a) I have to tell you that you are wrong, even though I hate to (do it/say so).  
b) I have to tell you that you are wrong, although I hate to (do it)  
c) I have to tell you that you are wrong, in spite of/despite the fact that I hate to (do it/say so).  
d) I have to tell you that you are wrong, in spite of/despite hating to (do it/say so.).
5. Although she had a loving family, she wasn't happy.

**EXERCISE 10**

1. Although she knew how to cook, she said she didn't.



2. Despite arriving two hours late, Suzy didn't apologise.
3. Although Alan doesn't need any money, he still works.
4. In spite of having money, my uncle didn't buy the kids ice-creams.
5. Though Sam had an accident due to alcohol, he didn't give up his habit.
6. Although Ana needed help, she didn't ask for any.
7. Despite failing all her exams, Gloria has no intention to study.
8. Although it was 3 am, the girls went on chattering.
9. Although Abdel had fallen off his bike twice, he won the race.
10. Despite being blind, Mehmet finished university in the first place

## EXERCISE 11

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|-----------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|----------|
| 1 as      | 2. like     | 3. as if   | 4. as if    | 5. such as | 6. as if |
| 7. as if  | 8. like     | 9. such as | 10. as if   | 11. As     | 12. as   |
| 13. alike | 14. dislike | 15. unlike | 16. dislike | 17. like   | 18. like |